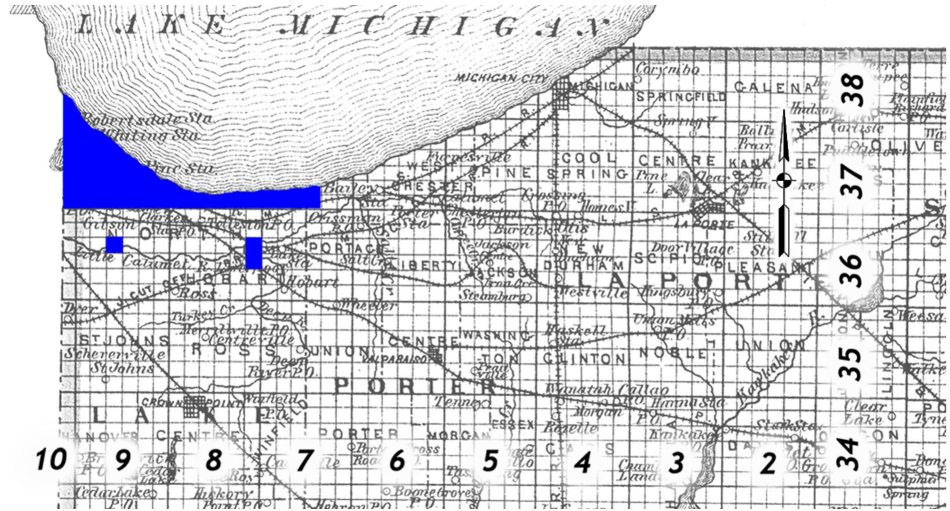
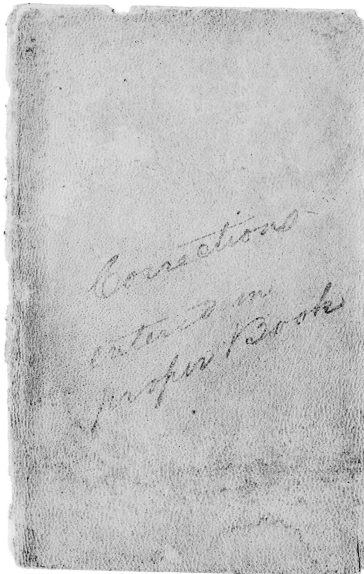


## Meanders:

Calumic River, Long Lake, Lake Michigan, other rivers & lakes in  
Townships 36N to 38N in Ranges 7W to 10W



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Surveyed: 2/1836

Corrected

Entered in

proper books



1 10  
8 2

Note, All lines run at  
 $6^{\circ}30'$  except the Meander  
lines on Callanic River  
which are run at  $6^{\circ}25'$

Township 37 N of Range 7 W

Meanders of Long Lake in Sec 34

Beginning at Stake on N Boundary

S 50 W 25.00

S 45 W 12.00

S 81 W 13.04 To post on line betn 33 & 34

50.04

Meanders continued in Sec 33

S 60 W 45.00

S 70 W 20.00

S 56 W 19.50 To line between 32 & 33

84.50

Meanders continued in Sec 32

West 8.00

S 40 W

S 57 W 10.32

To meander post on S boundary

18.32

closed

Y 37 N of R 7 W

Meanders of Calumie in Sec 36  
Old Survey beginning  
at Meander on T boundary, Right  
bank of River, thence up stream

~~N 19 E 2.00~~

~~N 72 E 5.00~~

~~N 24 E 4.04~~

Rejected

To Meander post on East  
side of Bend

Meanders on left bank begin  
at stake on South Boundary, Thence  
down River, inner bend

~~N 59 W 2.00~~

~~N 62 W 2.18~~

Rejected

To post on T boundary  
W side of Bend

New Survey Meanders begin

at Meander post on Range line left  
bank down River

S 52 W 5.00

N 35 W 7.00

N 20 E 3.60

15.60

not to be copied  
To Meander post on N Boundary



T 37 R R Y W

Meanders continued in 36 same  
side River, beginning at Stake on

T 55 W	20.00	North boundary
+ T 62 W	15.00	+ S 57 W
T 52 W	21.00	
T 15 W	20.00	
T 1 W E	5.25	To South Boundary
<u>81.25</u>		Copied

Meanders beginning at Stake on T Boundary

N 9 1/2 E	11.30	Right Bank of River up stream
N 20 E	15.00	
N 55 E	10.00	+ N 57 1/2 E.
N 50 E	15.00	Copied
+ N 60 E	30.00	To meander post on N Boundary
<u>81.30</u>		

Meanders continued, beginning at  
Post on N Boundary Thence up River

T 8 E	6.00	Right bank
N 63 1/2 E	4.70	To Meander post on
<u>10.70</u>		East Boundary

Township 37 N of Range 8 West

Meanders of Calumet River  
in Sec 36, Beginning at  
Quarter Section Meander post  
on East boundary on left  
Bank of the River, Thence  
up river

T23W 3.50 Bro't up 86 50

T76W 10.50 N 1/2 E 3 50

N49W 7.00 N56W 5 70-

N76W 7.50 ch: 95 70

T66W 14.00

N42W 5.00

T78W 3.50

T84W 1.50

T56W 8.00

T73W 20.00

N53W 6.00

Car'd up 86,50

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To Meander post on line 36  
between Secs 35 & 36

T 37 N of R 8 West

Meanders Continued in sec 35

Left bank, up river

T 58 N 4.00

T 87 N 3.50

T 65 N 9.00

T 78 N 10.00

T 74 N 10.00

T 85 N 2.50

T 46 N 5.00

T 64 N 14.00

N 86 N 9.00

N 15 N 10.00

N 78 N 5.00

T 72 N 9.00

T 61 N 2.67

to meander post

Ch. 96.67

between Secs 34 & 35

T 37 N R 8 West

Meanders continued in Sec 35

Beginning at Meander post  
on line between Secs. 34 & 35

thence down River on

N 85 E 9.00 Right Bank

T 33 E 13.00

T 86 E 8.00

N 60 E 11.50

N 40 E 12.00

N 72 E 5.00

N 87 E 25.00

T 32 E 3.00

T 18 E 4.00

N 82 E 5.12

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Ch. 100.12

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to Post on line

between Sec's 35 & 36



T 37 N of R 8 West

Meanders continued in sec 36  
Beginning at post on line  
between Secs 35 & 36 on  
right bank down River

N 70 E 6.50

N 63 E 10.00

East 5.00

S 70 E 4.00

N 70 E 26.00

East 20.00

S 78 E 10.00

N 63 E 2.30

83.80

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to meander post on  
East Boundary  
Feb-y 11<sup>th</sup> 1836

237 N of R 9 West

East on random between  
sections 27 & 34

79.75 Intersected N & S line

2.5 links N of post,  
generally this line runs in  
one of the many long marshy  
lakes of this township, whose  
margins are covered with a  
thick growth of Juniper,  
small cedar, briars &c &c

West Corrected between Secs 27 & 34

39.87 Set or see post in side of  
lake or marsh

79.75 See Corner

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T 37 N of R 9 W

East Random between Secs 22 & 27  
79.65 Intersected N & S line  
50 links S of post  
this line similar to the  
preceding

West Corrected between  
Secs 22 & 27  
39.82 Set gr Sec post in  
Lake water 4 ft deep  
79.65 Sec Corner  
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T 37 N of R 9 W

East Random between  
Sections 15 & 22

40.00 Set gr sec post & meander  
post on margin of  
Lake Michigan

Bear: Yellow pine S. 78° W 1.03

The West end of this line is  
marsh on Lake the East  
half Land Hills - Small  
pines - Aspens 9°

Feb 9 12<sup>th</sup> / 1881

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T 37 N of Range 9 West

East Random between Sec 21 & 28

79.81 Intersected N & S line

13 links N of post

This line in general runs  
in a long lake from 2 to  
5 chding in width

West Corrected between  
Secs 21 & 28

39.90 Set gr Sec post in side  
of Lake - no bearing

79.81 Sec Corner

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S 37 N of R 9 West

East Random between  
sections 16 & 21

79.69 Intersected N & I line  
27 links N of post -

this line very similar  
to the preceding

West Corrected between  
Secs. 16 & 21

39.84 Set or post in lake  
no bearings

79.19 Sec Corner

Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 1866

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S 37 N of R 9 West

East Random between Secs 20 & 29

79.69 Intersected N & S line

blink S of post - Marsh

lake and dense thickets  
of small Juniper, cedar  
pine & briars

West Corrected between

Secs 20 & 29

39.84 Set g. sec post in  
dense thicket of Juniper

No bearings

79.69 Sec Corner

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T 37 N of R 9 W

East Random between

Secs, 17 & 20

79.30 In ~~located~~ N & E line  
53 links S of post  
generally Marsh & Lake

West Corrected between

Secs 17 & 20

39.15 Set of sec corner in Lake

79.30 Sec Corner

Feb<sup>4</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 1836

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T 37 N of R 9 West

Meanders of Sec 6 on Lake  
Michigan, beginning at  
post at North West-corner  
of Township, Thence

<del>50E</del>	<del>85.00</del>	<del>See old meanders</del>
<del>48E</del>	<del>11.00</del>	<del>to post on line</del>
	<del>96.00</del>	<del>between Secs 5 &amp; 6</del>

Meanders of Lake  
Michigan in Sec  
5 beginning at post  
on line between  
secs 5 & 6 Thence

50E	9.00	
52E	3.21	To post on line between
1	12.21	secs. 5 & 6

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S 37 N 4 R 9 West

Meanders of Lake Michigan  
continued in Sec. 8

beginning at post on line between  
secs 8 & 5 Thence

445E 12.00

451E 10.00

453E 35.00

454E 30.00

438E 15.88

✓ 88.88

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To post on line between

secs 8 & 9

Meandering continued  
in Sec 9

458E 25.00

455E 18.52

✓ 43.52

cop<sup>d</sup>

To post on line between

secs 9 & 10

T 37 N of R 9 W

Meanders continued in  
Section 16

T 58 E 15.00

T 53 E 30.00 + 5628

T 55 E 8.42 To post on line between  
✓ 53.42 Secs 15 & 16  
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Meanders continued in  
Sec 15

T 50 E 25.00 + 5312 E

T 38 E 39.10 To post on line between  
54.10 Secs. 15 & 22  
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T 37 N of R 9 W

Meanders continued in  
Sec 22

T 42 E 30.00 + \$30 1/2 E 25.60 close it

T 47 E 28.42 To post on line between  
58.42 Secs 22 & 23

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Meanders continued in  
Sec 23

T 54 E 40.00

T 57 E 15.00 + \$68 1/2 E close it

+ T 5 E 25.60 To post on line  
80.60 between Secs 23 & 24

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T 37 N of R 9 W

Meanders continued in  
Section 26

Y 60 E 17.60 To post on line between  
Secs 25 & 26 <sup>+ 14.50 closes it</sup>

Meanders continued in  
Sec 25

Y 61 E 65.00

Y 67 E 25.15 To post on East Boundary  
90.15

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Note The original meander post  
set at the termination of the line  
between Secs 25 & 26 was gone  
and though the bearings were  
taken originally, the place  
of the post could not be

identified, for want of the  
field notes - a re measurement  
had therefore to be made and  
a post set on the lake -  
the post stands as now set  
65.26 from post corners  
to secs. 25, 26, 35 & 36



T 37 N of R 9 W

Meanders of Grand Calumie  
in Sec 32

Beginning at post on line  
right bank <sup>between</sup> down <sup>32 & 33</sup> stream

West 6.00

S 70 W 40.00

N 60 W 25.00

N 80 W 14.25

85.25

To post on line between  
Secs 31 & 32

Meanders entered

Feb 16<sup>th</sup> 1836

T 37 N R 9 W

Meanders of Small Lake  
in Sec 19, beginning at  
Meander post on West bounda-  
ry, thence along East side  
of lake

S 74 E	13.00	
N 38 E	55.00	
N 15 E	13.00	+ N 35 E 7.00 close it
+ (N 22 E)	8.15	To post on line between
✓	89.15	Secs 18 & 19

Meanders continued in Sec 18

+ N 4 E	55.00	+ N 4 W
N 11 E	22.00	
West	5.00	
N 64 W	9.70	To post on line between
✓	89.70	Secs 7 & 18
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T 37 N R 9 W

Meanders continued in  
Sec 7.

N 33 E 25.00

N 60 W 19.00

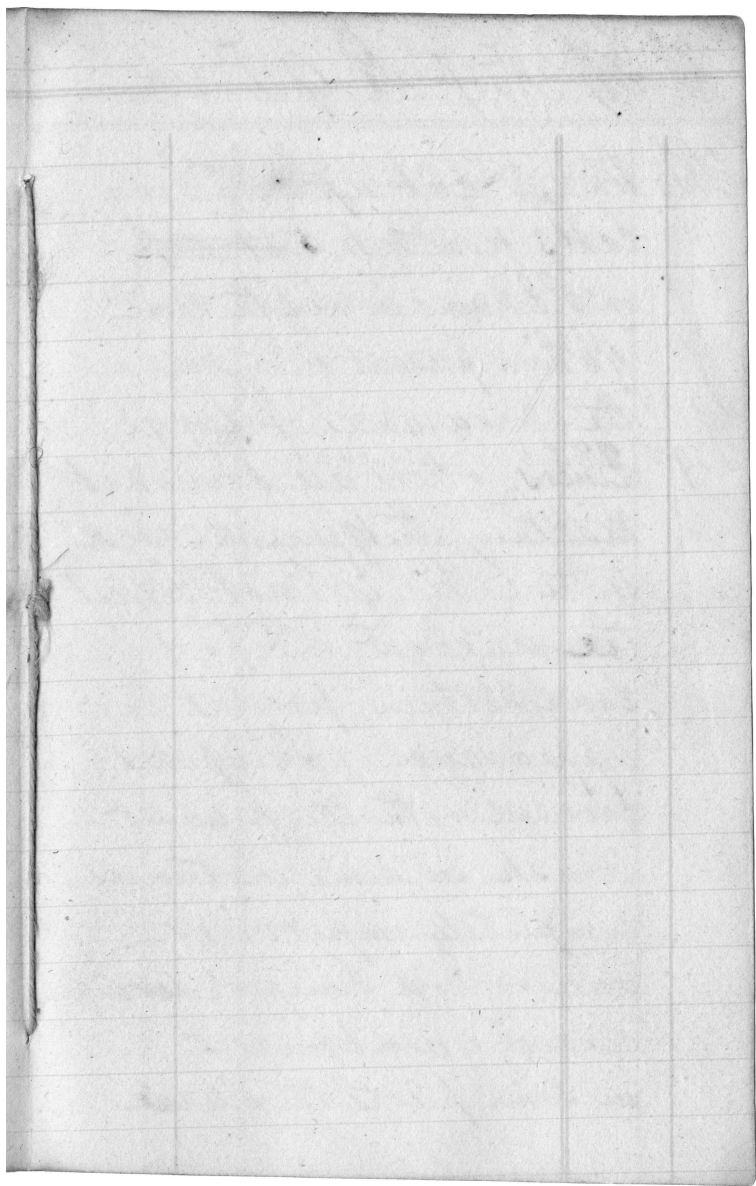
S 56 W 19.00

S 39 W 28.40

✓ 95.40

To Meander post &  
corner post on Range  
line at N End of  
Lake copied

Meanders entered



# T 37 N of R 9 West

This town is cut up with long lakes from 2 to 5 ~~ft deep~~ on 6 chains in width some of which present very much the appearances of large rivers, others are somewhat marshy, the general course of the lakes is East to West ~~the~~ narrow strips of land between, present the appearance of Turnpikes covered with thick underbrush in some instances completely impervious - underwood Juniper, dwarfish cedar, green briars & in some parts there have

been some fine white  
pine mostly now removed  
by the inhabitants of  
Illinois - There is no  
tillable land in the  
township -

Feb 17<sup>th</sup> 1836

T 37 N of R 10 W

On East boundary of  
Town beginning at corner  
of Secs 19 & 24, Thence  
North Between Secs 19 & 24

21.00 Intersected lake

80.00 In lake on ice place of  
corner to Secs 19 & 24

13 & 18 Thence

North

75.00 Leave lake

80.00 To corner of Secs 12 & 7 in  
Deep marsh



T 37 N of R 10 W

South Corrected East Boundary  
of Townp. beginning at corner  
to secs 7 & 12 Thence

80.00 Intersected North End of  
lake set post-corner to  
secs 7, 12, 13 & 18 and

South meander post Thence

80.00 To place of corner to secs

South 13, 18, 19 & 24 - Thence

54.00 To South End of Lake

set meander post Thence

South

21.00 To corner of secs 19 & 24

25 & 30 \*

\* It will be observed that there is an out (5ch) lacking  
on the Range line (E. Boundary) which is thrown  
upon the East side of Section 24, The E bound-  
ary of said sec. being only 75 ch long

T 37 N of R 10 W

North From corner of Secs 18 & 6  
on East boundary of Township  
on East side of Sec 1

7624 Meander post on Lake  
Michigan

Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 1836

T 37 N of R 10 W

On State line from corner  
North to secs 24 & 25 Thence

21.33 to mile post 155 Thence

60.20 Meander post at E End  
of Lake Thence

80.00 Corner to secs 13 & 24 in lake  
Thence

80.00 To corner of secs 12 & 13.

North On state line in Lake  
on West side of Sec 12

41.10 Ash 8 inches, meander post  
at side of Lake

T 37 N of R 10 W.

West on line between Sec 18 & 12  
20.00 Intersected Lake set

meander post no bearings

51.00 Across Lake, set meander  
post in marsh, no bearings

66.58 State line, set post in marsh

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West On line between Secs 12 & 13

From corner to Sec 12 & 13

# meander post

18.25 Intersected Lake of State  
line set meander post

Bear Sycamore in T 35 E, 45

✓

T 37 N of R 10 W

West Between secs 13 & 24

18.36 Leave Lake in Marsh

set Meander post no

bearings

23.36 across Marsh intersect lake

set Meander post

Space between these lakes  
Marsh & Beaver dam -

✓ July 19<sup>th</sup> 1831

T 37 N of R 10 W

Meanders of Sec 1

Beginning at meander post  
on North Boundary Thence  
on West side of Lake

T 14 N 50.00

T 51 N 15.00

T 33 N 10.00

T 38 N 5.00

T 16 N 10.19 To post on line between

✓ 90.19 Secs 1 & 12

Meanders continued in  
Sec 12

T 15 N 13.00

T 41 N 20.52 To ash meander post

✓ 43.52 on State line

T 37 N of R 10 W

Meanders in Sec 24 on East  
side of lake beginning at  
meander post on State line  
South end of lake thence

T 72 E 20.00

N 72 E 20.00 ✓

N 28 E 15.40 To post on line between

(N 21 E)

55.40 Secs 13 & 24

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Meanders continued in  
Sec 13

N 16 E 25.00

N 6 W 53.00 ✓

N 36 1/2 E 3.75 To post on line

✓ 81.75 between Secs 12 & 13

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T 37 N of R 10 W

Meanders continued in  
Sec 12

N  $1\frac{1}{4}$  W 80.25 To post on line  
between Secs 18/12

Meanders continued in  
Sec

N  $4\frac{1}{4}$  W 16.00

N 25 E 32.00

North 15.00

N 28 E 13.00

N 5 E 12.50

88.50

To post on N Boundary

T 37 N R 10 W

Meanders in Sec 13 beginning  
at post corner to Secs  
12 & 13 and Meander post  
at north end of Lake Thence

98 W	45.00	along West margin
924 W	26.00	of Lake
94 W	11.55	To post on line
✓	<u>82.55</u>	between Secs 13 & 24

Meanders continued in  
Sec 24

914 E	48.00	
937 E	9.30	To post on Range
(545 E)	<u>57.30</u>	line at South end of lake

✓

T 37 R 10 W

Meanders of Lake Michigan  
in Sec 1, beginning at  
meander post on N boundary  
at NE corner of Township.

T 38 E 5.00 To post on range  
Line

The country around these lakes is  
an extensive marsh at this  
time covered with ice &  
when the marsh is open in  
many places impassable -

Meander entered on original  
Plat

S. M.

# Township 38 of Range 10 West

From Meandu post on Lake  
Michigan at the termination  
of Range line between Ranges  
9 & 10 on Lake Michigan in  
Township 37 N. Thence

West 3.00 Thence

3.00  
North

3.75 To margin of Lake Michigan  
Set Meandu post in bearings  
Thence

West On South Boundary of Town

10.50 Intersect small lake Set  
meandu post in marsh

15.00 across lake, Set meandu post in  
marsh

40.00 Set 9<sup>th</sup> sec. post in marsh

66.50 Intersect state line, Set Township corner on  
Beaver dam

T 38 N 4 R 10 W

North From Town corner on  
State line, N.W. side of  
Sec 36.

bb. 60 Lake Michigan, here found  
a post at termination of  
State line -

Meanders of Sec 36 beginning  
at post at N End of State line thence  
along margin of Lake Michigan

T 36 E 53.00

S 34 E 49.50.

T 46 E 35.00

<sup>5446.35.00</sup>  
Meander entered on plat

T 52 E 8.32

<sup>5508.8.32</sup>  
To Meander post on

✓

96.32

South Boundary

Meanders of Small lake in Sec 36, beginning  
at Meander post on T Boundary E side of lake

N 25 W 7.00

T 26 W 7.10

To post on T Boundary

✓

14.10

of Lake, Feby 21<sup>st</sup> 1836

# T 36 Range 9 West

Meanders of Callumie River in Sec 17  
beginning on line between Secs 16 & 17  
on right bank of River, thence down stream

S 79 W 50.00

S 85 W 14.00

S 60 W 7.12

31.12

17, 18, 19 and 20

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Meander in 17 Left bank up stream  
beginning at post in line between Secs 17 & 18

N 64 E 13.00

S 80 E 7.00

N 38 E 12.30

32.30

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To post in line between 16 & 17

Note. The corner posts in the marsh have  
have nearly all been removed by the  
Indians - there being no mounds the  
places of the Meander posts are difficult  
to be identified - The meander \*

S 36 N of R 9 West

Meanders of Callumie in sec 15  
beginning at post on line between  
secs 15 & 16 right bank of  
River thence up stream

N 86 E 7.00

N 40 E 12.00

East 25.00

S 74 E 42.26 To post on line between  
secs 14 & 15

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Note continued) post on left bank of  
River between secs 15 & 16 now stands  
at North

14.00 from cor to secs 15 16 21 & 22  
While that upon line between secs

14 & 15 same side of River stands

North From cor to sec 14 15 20 & 26

13.26 upon said line

Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 1836



Township 31 N of Range 8 W

Meanders of Callumie in sec 12.  
on left Bank of River, beginning at  
post on line between secs 12 & 13

N 15 E 35.00

S 5 E 5.00

S 26 E 8.60

48.60

*Rejected*

To meander post near  
East end of same line.

Note The Meander post to which the  
above meander line closes stands  
19.32 from corner post on  
Township line & corner to sec 12 & 13

Meanders in sec 13, beginning at meander  
post on East boundary left bank of River

S 48 W 83.00

S 10 W 12.00

S 5 W 4.92

99.92

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To post on line between 13 & 24

T 36 N R 8 W

Meanders in Sec 24 on  
Dap River, beginning at post  
on line between Secs 13 & 24  
Thence up River Right Bank

T 42 E 20.00

T 58 E 15.00

T 79 E 20.00

N 68 E 15.00

N 75 E 2.87

72.87

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To post on East boundary

Meanders in Sec 24 on Left

Bank of Depue River commencing at post  
on East Boundary Thence down stream

T 74 W 24.00

N 66 W 28.00

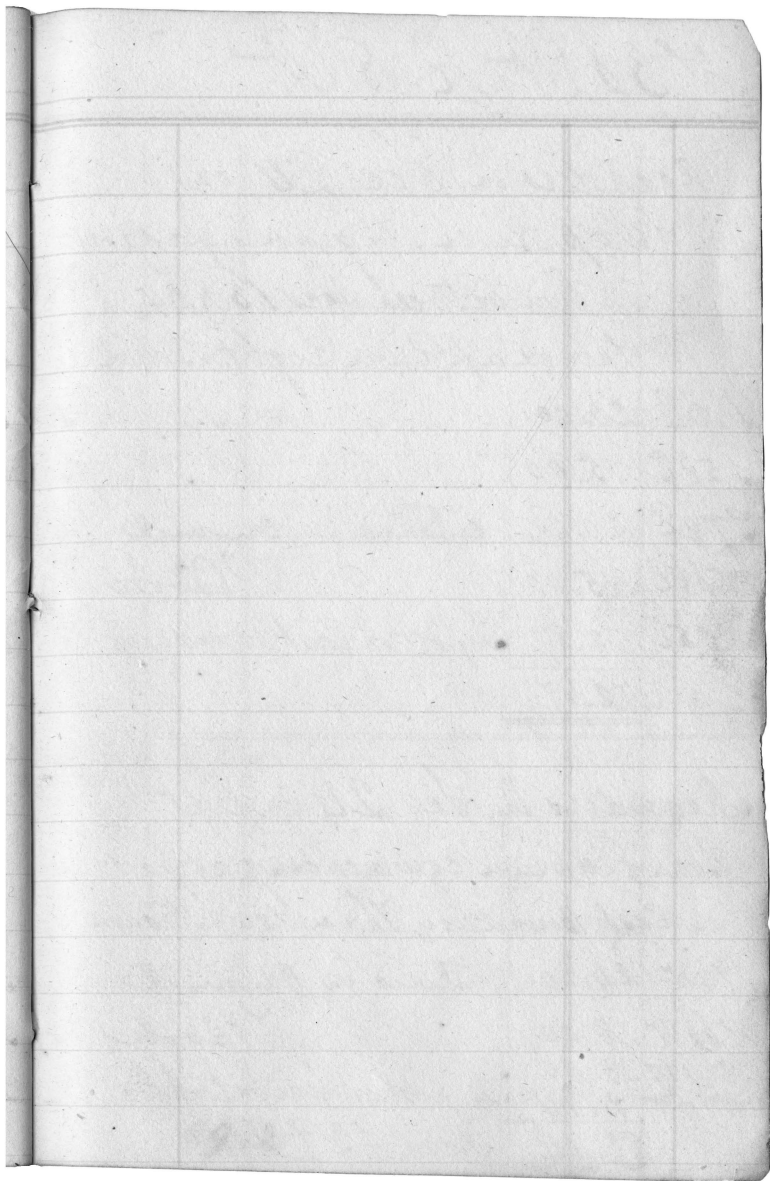
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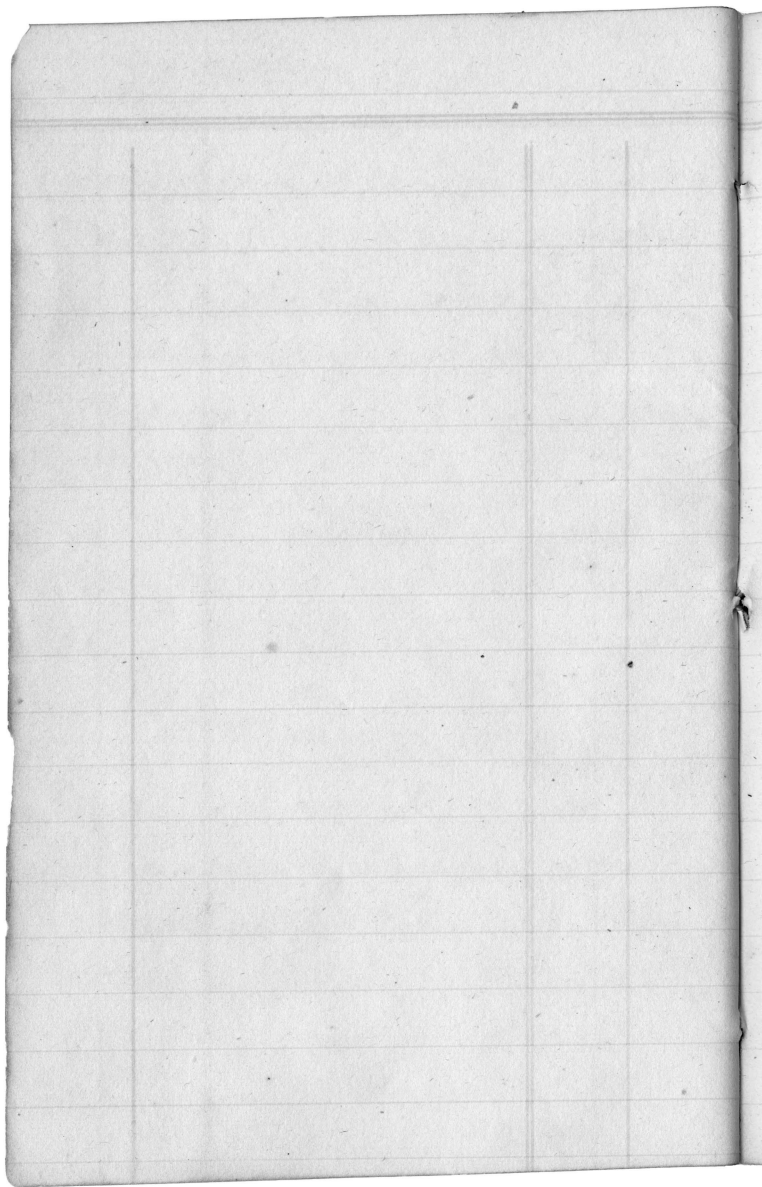
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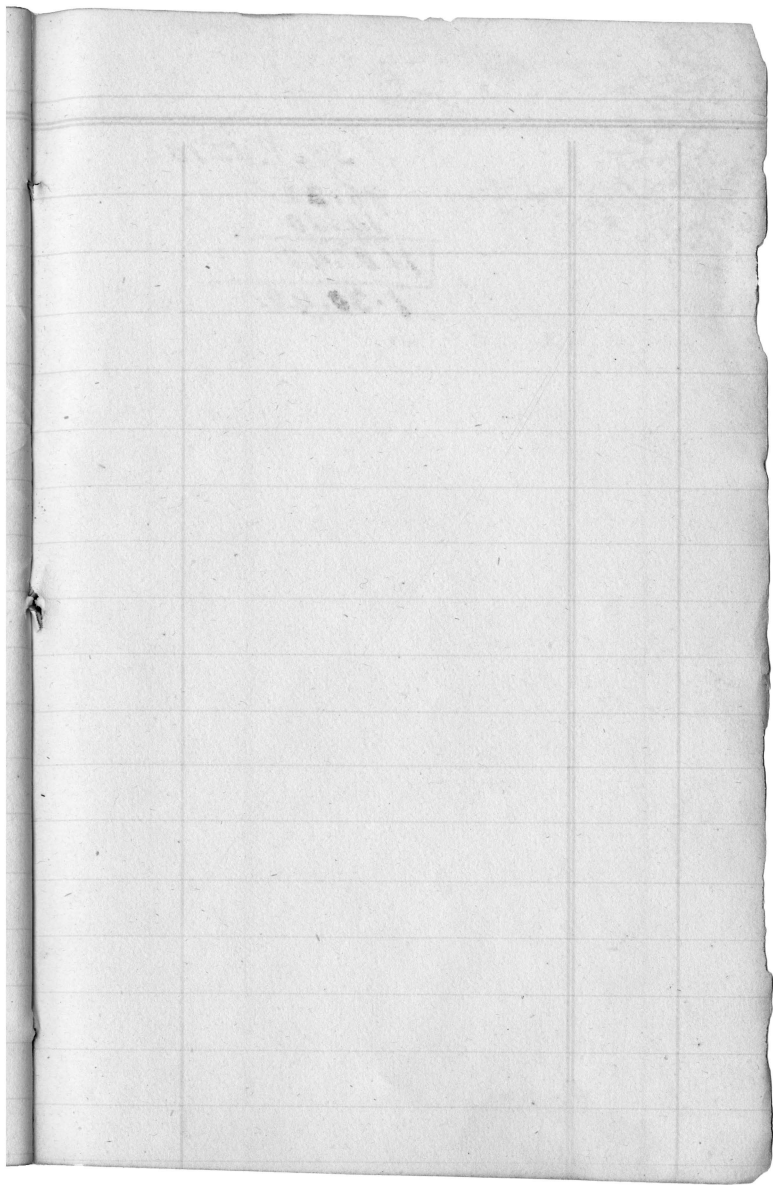
82.14

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To post on line between  
Secs 13 & 24







738 N. 1210

Meander

96.32

14.10

110.42

1.30.42

